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PORT MORESBY FOR ADMIN OFFICER

CANBERRA FOR RSO

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SECSTATE FOR MR. ST. MARS (SY)

E.O. 11652: N/A

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SUBJECT: IMPLEMENTATIONS OF COUNTER-TERRORISM RECOMMENDATIONS
AT AMEMBASSY PORT MORESBY

1. RSS KNAUF IN TELEPHONIC CONVERSATION WITH SY WASHINGTON RECEIVED VERBAL ASSURANCES FOR FUNDING TO IMPLEMENT THE FULL RANGE OF SECURITY MEASURES AT THE EMBASSY IN PORT MORESBY. RSS REQUESTS ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER TO IMMEDIATELY PROCEED TO PLANS AND SEEK CONTRACT ESTIMATES FOR THOSE SECURITY AND COUNTER TERRORISM PROJECTS WHICH WERE RECENTLY DISCUSSED WITH AMBASSADOR, ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER, RSO AND RSS INCLUDING THE SECURITY MEASURES IN THE RECEPTION AND PUBLIC ACCESS AREAS, GRILLE WORK FOR THE CHANCERY BUILDING INCLUDING THE FABRICATION OF REMOVAL GRILLES IN THE AMBASSADOR OFFICER SUITE AS WELL AS THE OTHER PROTECTIVE PROPOSALS THAT WERE DISCUSSED FOR THE OFFICE BUILDING.

2. IN ADDITION, ESTIMATES SHOULD BE OBTAINED TO INCREASE THE SECURITY PROTECTION AT THE AMBASSADOR'S RESIDENCE AND PARTICULARLY ESTABLISH A MAXIMUM DEGREE
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OF SECURITY FOR THE SELECTED PRIVATE LIVING AREA.

INCLUDE FURTHER CONTRACT ESTIMATES FOR THE
RESIDENCES OF OTHER MEMBERS OF THE STAFF.

3. TIME IS OF THE ESSENCE TO FINALIZE THESE PROPOSALS
AND SUCH CONTRACTS TO BE IMPLEMENTED. ESTIMATE SHOULD
BE FURNISHED TELEGRAPHICALLY TO DEPARTMENT (SY) AND
REGIONAL BUREAU NO LATER THEN 10 SEPTEMBER SINCE
IMMEDIATE FUNDING IS AVAILABLE ONLY THIS QUARTER.

4. RSO RILEY MUST STAND READY TO ASSIST PORT MORESBY
IN THIS EFFORT AND ALSO SUGGEST THAT THE SECURITY PROPOSALS
IN SYDNEY BE REVIEWED WITH THE POSSIBILITY OF IMMEDIATE
FUNDS BEING MADE AVAILABLE ON SAME BASIS AS ABOVE.
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